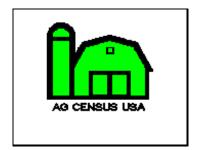
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WARD NORTH DAKOTA

Land in farms

Increased 4 percent from 1,160,916 acres in 1992 to 1,207,702 acres in 1997.

Average size of farms

Decreased 2 percent from 1,049 acres in 1992 to 1,030 acres in 1997.

Full time farms

Decreased slightly from 816 farms in 1992 to 809 farms in 1997.

Market value of agricultural products sold

Increased 15 percent to \$82,909,000 in 1997.

Crop sales accounted for 83 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 17 percent of the market value.

Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm

Increased 9 percent from \$65,193 in 1992 to \$70,742 in 1997.

